NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
Proposal Review Panel for Computing Communication Foundations; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Site Visit, Proposal Panel Review for Science and Technology Centers—Integrative Partnerships

Date/Time: December 3, 2012, 6:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m.; December 4, 2012, 8:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.; December 5, 2012, 8:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Place: Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.

Type of Meeting: Partial Closed.

Contact Person: John Cozzens, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 1115, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292–8910.

Purpose of Meeting: To review and evaluate the progress of the STC Award: 0939370, (301) 286–7351.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Enidia Santiago-Arce, Innovative Partnerships Program Office/504, Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbelt, MD 20771 (301) 286–5810. Information about other NASA inventions available for licensing can be found online at http://technology.nasa.gov/.

Sumara M. Thompson-King, Deputy General Counsel.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
President’s Committee on the National Medal of Science; Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given of a change in the meeting of the President’s Committee on the National Medal of Science.

Originally the meeting was scheduled for October 31, 2012. A notice was published in the Federal Register on Wednesday, October 10, 2012 on page 61644. However, due to Hurricane Sandy it was necessary to cancel. In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the rescheduled meeting:

Name: President’s Committee on the National Medal of Science (1182).

Date and Time: Monday, December 10, 2012, 8:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.
Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.


Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations to the President in the selection of the 2012 National Medal of Science recipients.

Agenda: To review and evaluate nominations as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The nominations being reviewed include information of a personal nature where disclosure would constitute unwarranted invasions of personal privacy. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.


Susanne Bolton, Committee Management Officer.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT: Tomas Vagoun at vagoun@nitrdf.gov or (703) 292–4873.

DATES: To be considered, submissions must be received by December 19, 2012.

SUMMARY: This Request For Comments (RFC) is issued by the Cyber Security and Information Assurance Research and Development Senior Steering Group (SSG) of the Federal Networking and Information Technology Research and Development (NITRD) Program. The SSG is preparing a report to provide an update on technological developments in Federal cybersecurity research and development since the release of the 2011 Federal Cybersecurity Research and Development Strategic Plan (the strategic plan). Also, in light of the ever evolving technological landscape of cybersecurity, and as input to its follow-on report, the SSG seeks comments on the progress over the past year in the research areas identified in the strategic plan, the strategic plan’s impact in orienting private sector cybersecurity research and development activities, the successes and challenges in achieving the technological objectives outlined in the plan, and on any nascent or emerging areas in cybersecurity research and development that warrant further focus. Additionally, the comments will be used by the SSG in its assessment of future needs and directions in Federal cybersecurity research and development. Comments are to be submitted to cybersecurity@nitrdf.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Continued cybersecurity research and development is critical to ensuring that we are on track as a Nation to develop innovative tools and capabilities to address...